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TO

Amend the Law relating to Intermediate Education in Ireland and for other purposes connected therewith. A.D. 1914.

BE it enacted by the King's most excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Register of intermediate school teachers.

1.—(1) The Lord Lieutenant may constitute a Registration Council consisting of representatives of—

(*a*) the teaching profession in Ireland;

(*b*) the Intermediate Education Board for Ireland;

(*c*) the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland; and

(*d*) such universities and other bodies interested in education as ought, in the opinion of the Lord Lieutenant, to be represented thereon.

(2) There shall be assigned to the council the duty of framing, with the approval of the Lord Lieutenant, regulations for a register of the intermediate school teachers in Ireland who satisfy the conditions of registration prescribed by the regulations and apply to be registered.

(3) The register shall be formed and kept by the Intermediate Education Board for Ireland (in this Act referred to as the Board) in manner prescribed by the regulations.

Provision of money for Teachers' Salaries Grant.

2. *From and after the commencement of this Act there shall be paid to the Board in each year out of moneys provided by Parliament a sum not exceeding forty thousand pounds,* and an amount equivalent to the sum so paid (in this Act referred

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to as the Teachers' Salaries Grant) shall be applied by the Board in manner provided by rules made by the Lord Lieutenant under this Act and approved by the Treasury.

Power to make rules.

3.—(1) The Lord Lieutenant may make rules for carrying this Act into effect, and in particular for the purpose of prescribing, with the approval of the Treasury, the manner in which the Teachers' Salaries Grant is to be applied, and for the purpose of defining the constitution and regulating the procedure of the Registration Council.

(2) All rules made in pursuance of this section shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within twenty-one days next after the same have been made, if Parliament is then sitting, or if Parliament is not then sitting, within twenty-one days after the commencement of the then next ensuing session, and, if such rules are disapproved by either House of Parliament within forty days after the same have been so laid before Parliament, such rules, or such part thereof as may be so disapproved, shall thereupon become void and of no effect.

Short title and construction.

4. This Act may be cited as the Intermediate Education (Ireland) Act, 1914, and shall be construed as one with the Intermediate Education (Ireland) Acts, 1878 to 1913, and this Act and those Acts may be cited collectively as the Intermediate Education (Ireland) Acts, 1878 to 1914.

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